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**PATENT APPLICATION**

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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**INVENTORS: Thomas W. Ives et al.**

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**SERIAL NO.: 10/608,803**

**GROUP ART UNIT: 2833**

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**EXAMINER: Ross N. Gushi**

**TITLE: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR ELECTRICALLY CONNECTING  
TWO OBJECTS**

**Mail Stop AF**

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**REPLY TO FINAL ACTION MAILED ON 01/28/05**

**SIR OR MADAM:**

This Communication is in response to the final action mailed on 01/28/05.

**Claim Summary:**

Claims hereby amended: 16.

Claims hereby canceled: 1-15 and 17-27.

Claims hereby added: 28.

Claims remaining: 16 and 28.

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Response to Final Action*